

Gulf Region Division, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Cumulative Reconstruction Snapshot

(Cumulative data compiled as of 26 May 2008)

Reconstruction efforts are a vital component to Iraq's progress toward democracy.

Despite 25 years of neglect and a costly insurgency, Iraq's infrastructure is bouncing back and U.S. assistance projects are having a real impact on the lives of its people, rebuilding Iraq's infrastructure, supporting the emergence of democracy, and establishing a foundation for a strong economy.

U.S. efforts were intended to jumpstart reconstruction. The success of reconstruction is dependent on Iraqi funding, donor nation support, and security.

It will take time and considerable resources to rebuild Iraq after years of neglect under Saddam's rule. U.S. funds are only a part of the overall broader effort, which will be continued with Iraq's own enormous human and capital resources, and the support of other donor nations.

Statistics below reflect the projects funded under Iraq Relief and Reconstruction Fund (IRRF), Developmental Fund of Iraq (DFI), Commander's Emergency Response Fund (CERP), Economic Support Fund (ESF), and Iraq Security Forces Fund (ISFF).

(Note: Data was compiled by the contractor, Stanley Baker Hill, LLC, from the Iraq Reconstruction Management System (IRMS) database of construction projects in Iraq. Data is pulled from the GRD Benchmark table in IRMS. Data is subject to change as more project information is entered. This does not include non-construction investments such as equipment purchases, training, and some security.)

At transfer of sovereignty in June 2004, there were just 200 projects started.

As of 27 May 08, USACE/GRD has:

- **122** additional planned projects – construction cost of \$384.6 M; program cost of \$440.7 M
- **4,134** projects completed – construction cost of \$6.1 B; program cost of \$6.4 B
- **374** projects ongoing – construction cost of \$2.2 B; program cost of \$2.2 B
- **63** projects are awarded not started

Electricity

- USACE has 12 additional projects planned, 526 projects completed and 74 on-going
- Of the 6,000 megawatts planned, 4,196 megawatts have been added and restored, increasing the capacity of electrical power
- Strengthened and stabilized the electrical transmission grid through the completion of 27 132/400kV substations and 11 overhead line projects
- Completed construction of 83 33/11kV substations

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Oil

- USACE has 2 additional projects planned, 116 completed and 13 ongoing
- 3.0 million barrels per day of planned capacity has been met
- Natural gas production capacity metric of 800 M standard cubic feet per day has been met
- Liquefied petroleum gas (LPG) production capacity metric of 3,000 tons per day has been met

Water

- 25 additional water supply projects planned, 790 completed and 108 ongoing
 - Of those, 598 are water treatment and sewage projects with 535 completed and 54 on-going
- Of the 1.1 million cubic meters per day of potable water planned for IRRF, 0.9 million cubic meters per day of water treatment capacity has been achieved affecting 4.7 million people
- 0.2 million cubic meters per day of water treatment capacity is under construction

Facilities

- 83 additional projects planned; 2,702 completed; 179 ongoing

Transportation and Communication

- Completed 227 village road projects, an additional 14 village road projects are on-going
- 114 railroad renovation projects of which 112 are complete
- 19 of 25 aviation projects are complete, improving 8 airports
- Completed 8 port projects

Building, Health and Education

- Of the 132 IRRF funded Primary Healthcare Centers, 94 are turned over to the Iraqi Ministry of Health; 19 projects are on-going
- For hospital renovation projects, 4 additional projects are planned, 14 are ongoing and 37 are completed
- This increases the capacity to treat approximately 3.25M patients in hospitals and 630,000 outpatients at the PHCs annually
- 1,074 school renovations or new construction projects are complete and 39 are on-going

Security and Justice

- Completed construction on 155 border posts and 14 Point of Entry facilities (MNSTC-I included)
- Completed 96 fire station projects
- Completed work on 54 courthouse projects with 12 on-going
- Constructing/rehabilitating 4 correctional facilities that will provide over 4,489 beds and improve conditions for many more